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SUBJECT: DRAFT PROTOCOL TO NORTH PACIFIC FUR SEAL
CONVENTION

1. IN CIRCULAR NOTE TO WASHINGTON EMBASSIES DATED
JAN 6, 1976, US AS DEPOSITARY REQUESTED THAT PARTIES TO
INTERIM CONVENTION ON CONSERVATION OF NORTH PACIFIC
FUR SEALS (USSR, JAPAN, CANADA) APPROVE ENGLISH-LANGUAGE
TEXT OF PROTOCOL DRAFTED AT DEC 1975 NEGOTIATIONS. JAPAN
AND USSR ALSO REQUESTED TO SUBMIT JAPANESE AND RUSSIAN
LANGUAGE TEXTS FOR APPROVAL OF ALL PARTIES.

2. TO DATE, PARTIES HAVE NOT RESPONDED TO THESE REQUESTS.
(CANADA DID ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF CIRCULAR NOTE BUT
MADE NO SUBSTANTIVE COMMENT.) POSTS SHOULD INFORM
APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS THAT APPROVALS AND JAPANESE AND
RUSSIAN LANGUAGE TEXTS SHOULD BE IN HANDS OF DEPOSITARY
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BY MARCH 15, 1976 SO THAT NECESSARY PROCEDURES CAN BE

COMPLETED FOR RATIFICATION BEFORE EXPIRATION OF PRESENT
CONVENTION. INGERSOLL

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